St. Louis City Ordinance 62619

FLOOR SUBSTITUTE BOARD BILL NO. [91] 238 INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN MARTIE J. ABOUSSIE

An ordinance pertaining to the revocation and refusal to issue licenses; requiring the revocation or refusal to issue licenses by the license collector by licensees or license applicants that have unsatisfied final judgments relating to the nature of the license; establishing hearings, and appeals.

NBE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. The license collector shall not issue any license to any person, firm, or corporation that the license collector has been notified in writing by the judgment holder that said person, firm or corporation has an unsatisfied final judgment relating to the nature of the license of 60 days or more against it in an amount of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars or less, unless said contractor posts the amount of the judgment with the license collector or reaches a payment agreement with the judgment holder.

SECTION TWO. The license collector shall revoke any license issued by him to any person, firm or corporation that the license collector has been notified in writing by the judgment holder that said person, firm or corporation has an unsatisfied final judgment relating to the nature of the license of 60 days or more against it in an amount of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars or less, unless said contractor posts the amount of the judgment with the license collector or reaches a payment agreement with the judgment holder.

SECTION THREE. Prior to the refusal to issue or the revocation of a license, the license collector shall notify the applicant for the license or the licensee, by registered mail or by personal notice, that a license will not be issued or a previously issued license will be revoked. Any person so notified has ten days from receipt of said notice to object in writing to the license collector of said refusal to license or revocation of license. If no such notice is received by the license collector within 10 days, no new license may issue and any previously issued license shall be immediately revoked and the business cannot operate unless and until a new license is issued. The license collector shall hold a hearing within ten days of the letter of objection to determine whether or not a final unsatisfied judgment relating to the nature of the license of 60 days or more exists. Any licensee shall be allowed to continue to operate until the

license collector makes a determination whether or not a final unsatisfied judgment of 60 days or more exists, but no new license shall be issued until a determination is made. The license collector shall notify the applicant or licensee, in writing, within ten days of his determination.

SECTION FOUR. If the license collector determines that a final unsatisfied judgment relating to the nature of the license of 60 days or more exists, he shall not issue a license to the applicant, and he shall revoke any previously issued license, unless said contractor posts the amount of the judgment with the License Collector or reaches a payment agreement with the judgment holder. The licensee is not entitled to a refund for the license tax previously paid.

SECTION FIVE. Any person aggrieved by a determination of the license collector may appeal his determination to the board of tax appeals within ten days of the determination of the license collector pursuant to the procedures contained in Section 8.06.230 through Section 8.06.290 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis.

Legislative History				
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